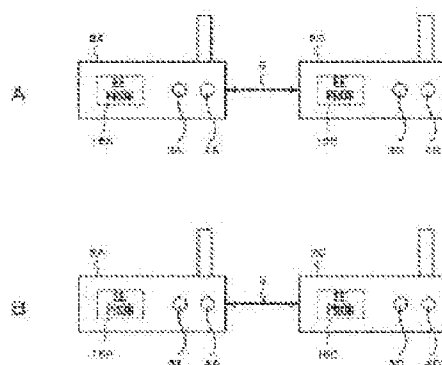


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PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a data communication system and its method by which problems of interference and security are improved in the case of transmitting data by means of a radio wave and the procedure of registration of each device is simplified. **SOLUTION:** A radio LAN is built up by connecting a radio communication adaptor to each computer. Each radio communication adaptor is provided with memories 16A-16C storing a group identification code and with group identification code setting switches 3A-3C. In the case that the two radio communication adaptors of the same group are connected and the group identification code setting switches 3A-3C are depressed and no group identification code is in existence in both devices, one device generates the group identification code and the code is set to both devices.; In the case that the identification code has been in existence in one device, the identification code of the device is transferred to the other device and stored therein.

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